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Girl born in Pennsylvania has a transparent back. Well backed up indeed.

If the men compelled the women to wear such clothes there would be trouble.

London physician says velle make women's noses red. Sort of a veiled insinuation.

A New York man ran up a laundry bill of \$3,330. But, then, New York is a strange city.

Half the population of France is agricultural. And the other half lives in the Latin quarter.

Large crops of preserves are reported by housewives, not meaning the peroxide kind, either.

A Kansas dentist succumbed to injuries while playing golf. And golf is said to be a harmless game.

By the way, what became of those feminine faddists who were going to wear socks instead of stockings?

Autumn undoubtedly draws closer the bonds of devotion—witness the fond clinging of the affectionate fly!

A man has written a newspaper to ask how to get relief from snoring. Why don't he keep the snorer awake?

Esperanto may have been invented so that the dove of peace would be enabled to coo in a universal language.

Scientists say it will take a long time to stamp out the hookworm. Well, it took a long time to discover it.

The movement against tipping is all right, but it takes a whole lot of moral courage for a man to live up to the theory.

A famous English physician says that by the year 1912 human beings will look like gorillas. We should worry.

Now the fool who rocks the boat will be succeeded by the sorrowful individual who didn't know it was loaded.

A London nerve specialist says modern dress is actually killing women. He's a nerve specialist, all right.

A New York alderman has been caught in a blackmailing trap. He should congratulate himself he never was on the police force.

A Chicago chauffeur who ran past a halted street car contrary to law and killed a man has been censured by the coroner's jury. Which, of course, is a consolation to the relatives of the victim.

A French novelist says that love is a criminal madness. He is not the first to assail the divine frenzy, but it may be noticed in passing, that love as a human institution has survived all its critics.

Even if prisons are all that they are alleged by critics, they ought to be quite good enough for the man who rocks the boat, and who needs the most drastic kind of treatment to rid society of his species.

An Austrian professor, bound for Mars, via the United States, has been sent back. It is one of the few instances in which we are forced to confess that European estimates of our resources are entirely too high.

In very many cases apples are brought to market loosely packed and in wagons without springs, almost invariably with barrels on end, and this short journey is many times harder on the fruit than the long car transportation to the distant market.

Following in the footsteps of Luther Burbank, a Denver horticulturist has produced a rasp-strawberry. Now if somebody would produce a plum-peach, and combine some of the other fruits it might be possible to get ahead of the pests which ravage the orchards, by baffling them for a few seasons at least.

A youth attending the Michigan State Agricultural college stocked a pond with frogs and is more than paying his way by supplying frogs' legs to the Chicago market. It is said he has shipped as many as 6,000 in a single day, and that they netted him \$900 last year. Time was when boys were glad to catch frogs and sell their legs for ten cents a dozen, whereas the price now is half a dollar and upward.

The use of socks by women will not be opposed by mere man. Then he will unflinchingly find a pair in condition for service whenever he looks in the bureau drawer.

Chicago society women are having flax parties to shake off the hoodoo. But the only sure way yet found to shake off the Chicago hoodoo is to shake Chicago.

There are still a few guides left, but hunters who aspire to pot one had better make their arrangements early.

MIKADO'S GIFT TO GEN. GRANT LOST

RING VALUED AT \$100,000 IS DROPPED IN WASTE PIPE BY DAUGHTER.

SEWER SEARCHED FOR GEM

Lloyds Pays \$5,000 Insurance on Historic Jewel After Making Diligent Search—Secret Guarded Six Months.

New York.—A secret, carefully guarded six months, was discovered when it became known that Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris Jones, daughter of Gen. U. S. Grant, lost last May a historical emerald ring given to her father by the emperor of Japan at the time the famous soldier made his tour of the world.

The ring, the intrinsic value of which is placed at \$25,000, was dropped down a waste pipe at the Hotel Renaissance, 312 Fifth avenue, where Mrs. Sartoris was living prior to her marriage last July to Frank H. Jones, a Chicago banker and assistant postmaster general in President Cleveland's second administration.

Value Fixed at \$100,000.

The historical and sentimental value of the gem can only be guessed at, but an authority declared it was certainly worth \$100,000.

When Mrs. Sartoris inherited the jewel she insured it with Lloyds' of London for \$5,000, and the full amount was paid after the company conducted a search such as had never before been made in this city.

It is the boast of Lloyds that it can find lost articles better than any other agency on earth, and to that end the company caused the city's sewer running from Fifth to Seventh avenue on Forty-third street to be cleaned of every particle of residue. The entire sewerage system of the Renaissance was explored.

Dropped in Waste Pipe.

The ring dropped down a water vent in the bath room of an apartment on the second floor as the then Mrs. Sartoris was dressing for dinner. She so prized the jewel that she seldom wore it, and she was shocked and grieved by her loss.

E. W. Northrup, chief engineer of the Renaissance, was notified of the jewel's disappearance, and with Assistant Manager Watson went to the bathroom, where the trap was opened. No ring was found, and Mrs. Sartoris became frantic.

She was told that the gem might have lodged in a second trap in the cellar, and this was searched, but still no trace of the jewel was found.

A New York representative of Lloyds verified the report that his company had paid Gen. Grant's daughter \$5,000.

Body Guard for Roosevelt.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—Recent threats and the reported presence of a crank in the neighborhood will effect a change in the free and easy outdoor life which Col. Roosevelt has hoped to take in brain. When he is able to leave the house, he will be accompanied on every occasion by a body guard.

Four in Family Killed.

Indianapolis.—With the deaths of Mrs. Albert E. Haller and daughter Frances, 5 years old, in the city hospital, the toll in the automobile accident, when Albert E. Haller, dean of the Indianapolis college of pharmacy, and his son Earl, 10, were killed instantly, was brought up to four.

Losses Life in \$150,000 Fire.

Nevada, Mo.—Dick Cruise, who roomed over the Snodgrass drug store, was burned to death in a fire that consumed the drug store and six other buildings of Eldorado Springs, a summer resort, 20 miles east of here.

Katmai Again in Eruption.

Cordeva, Alaska.—A wireless message from the mail steamer Dora that she is anchored off Whale Island, unable to proceed because of darkness and falling volcano ash indicates that Katmai volcano is in eruption again.

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Washington Gets 1913 Meeting.

Portland, Ore.—Washington, D. C., was chosen as the city for the next meeting of the National W. C. T. U., which will be held the week preceding the opening of congress in 1913.

New Pure Food Expert.

Washington.—The latest candidate mentioned to succeed Dr. Harvey W. Wiley as chief of the bureau of chemistry is Dr. Carl L. Alsberg, chemist biologist in the bureau of plant industry.

Brigands Battle Police.

Rio de Janeiro.—Nearly a thousand brigands attacked and defeated the police at Itany, in the state of Parana. A colonel of the police and two lieutenants were killed and sixty policemen were killed or wounded.

Man, 35, Has 36 Wives.

Champion Polygamist of British Empire Is Found—Nearest Competitor Has 28.

Johannesburg, Transvaal.—The champion polygamist of the British Empire has been discovered among the Bantu tribesmen of the Transvaal, according to returns of the census office. He has forty-six wives and is 35 years old.

His next nearest competitor in the matrimonial stakes boasts of only twenty-eight wives.

Gives to Hospital Fund.

Baltimore, Md.—James A. Brady of New York, financier and horseman, who was recently a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital, this city, has presented that institution \$500,000 for the extension of its activities.

Hunter Kills Farmer.

Eldorado, Ill.—George Muggie, living two and one-half miles northeast of Eldorado, was shot to death by hunters. Muggie told them he would prosecute if they hunted on his farm, when one of the hunters fired.

TURKEY'S POSITION



PAID MORGAN \$13,500,000

FINANCIER'S CONCERN FORMED HARVESTER TRUST.

Firm Member Testifies Fee for Service in Formation Was \$65,000 Shares of Stock.

New York.—J. P. Morgan & Co. received 165,000 shares of stock for services in connection with the formation of the International Harvester company.

This stock on August 14, 1912, was valued at \$13,500,000.

So testified William Hamilton of J. P. Morgan & Co., on the stand here at a continuation of the government hearings against the International Harvester company.

The witness produced a contract agreement dated August 13, 1912, providing for the deposit of certificates with the Morgan firm by Charles Deering, Cyrus H. McCormick, Harold F. McCormick, James Deering, Richard F. Howe, W. H. Jones and John J. Hossner.

He was requested also to produce lists of the owners of the certificates who entered into an agreement with the firm not to sell the stock before giving J. P. Morgan & Co. a chance to purchase before September, 1902.

Abraham M. Hyatt, vice-president of the Lincoln Trust company, who in 1902 was vice-president of the New York Trust and Securities company, testified he became one of the incorporators of the International Harvester company.

Counsel for the government sought to show that Hyatt and other incorporators had never been engaged in the harvester machinery business previous to this time. The witness replied that it was his understanding that the first directors elected were only temporary. He resigned the day after organization was perfected.

MRS. SICKLES AIDS HUSBAND

Veteran's Estranged Wife Prevents Sale of His Personal Effects a Second Time.

New York.—A plea against a sale of the personal effects of Gen. Daniel E. Sickles, the aged war veteran, who was formerly ambassador to Spain, was made by his estranged wife to Sheriff Hitzburger.

The sheriff agreed to a postponement of the threatened sale, when Mrs. Sickles promised to pay about November 10 money necessary to satisfy a new judgment against her husband.

ILLINOIS DELEGATE MISSING

Mrs. Goings, Attending W. C. T. U. Convention at Portland, Disappears—Foul Play Feared.

Portland, Ore.—The police are searching for Mrs. J. M. Goings of Carbondale, Ill., a wealthy delegate to the W. C. T. U. convention, who has been mysteriously missing since last Friday.

No clew has been found to her whereabouts, and foul play is feared.

Miner Is Killed for His Gold.

Helena, Mont.—With his head crushed in and his hands bound behind his back, the body of Louis Davis, a pioneer miner of Montana, was found in his cabin. Davis was believed to have had a quantity of gold dust in his possession.

Tortoise Fires a Church.

Denver.—The warm rays of a lamp in St. Mark's church aroused a pet tortoise in a box, causing him to wiggle and overturn the lamp. Firemen saved the building.

Deputy and Strikers Shot.

Salt Lake, Utah.—In a fight between deputies and strikers at Birmingham, J. Tidwell, special deputy, was shot through both arms several times, and may die. Two Greeks, whose names were not learned, were wounded.

One Killed in Church Blast.

Knoxville, Tenn.—One man was killed, the lives of 150 children were imperiled and the Church of the Holy Ghost, Roman Catholic, was damaged by the explosion of a heating boiler.

JUDGE RAPS SUFFRAGETTE

FEARS "DANGEROUS CRANKS" WOULD MULTIPLY.

Tells Brooklyn Woman Who Hackled Gov. Wilson Fanatics Will Be Dealt With Severely.

New York.—The militant suffragette hereafter will be regarded by the New York city courts as a "dangerous crank," if the ruling of Chief Magistrate Kemper in the case of Miss Maud Malone, who interrupted Gov. Wilson at a Brooklyn meeting, is observed.

The magistrate said: "But let it be known to women of your violent temperament that we will not tolerate lawless methods and that fanatics of either sex will be dealt with as seriously as possible by our magistrates, while rational propaganda for any proper cause will be as free as the air."

"If such conduct as yours is suffered to go unpunished the number of dangerous cranks will multiply, as also the numbers of mayors, presidents and other public men who will be carrying bullets in their bodies."

"Although you profess to believe you were heroic and helpful to a great cause, in reality you only succeeded in disgracing yourself and injuring that cause. Persons of your type only retard the day of women's enfranchisement, just as the stone throwers and window smashers in England are setting back, instead of advancing, their cause in that country."

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Chicago, Ill.—Mrs. F. Cameron Falconetti occupies the same cell in the Rockford jail as her daughter, Lucile Cameron, the white girl whose alleged abduction by Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, led to federal investigation of Johnson's possible violation of the Mann law.

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Washington.—The First National bank of Wilburton, Okla., closed its doors. National Bank Examiner Wilcox telegraphed the controller of the currency that the institution was insolvent as a result of a shortage.

NIHILIST STABBED PRINCE

NEWSPAPER DEMANDS DETAILS OF ATTACK.

One Assailant Suffers From Wound Inflicted by Soldiers—Czarevitch Is Eight Years Old.

Odessa.—Further strengthening of the report which will not be downed that the little czarvitch has been the victim of a Nihilist attack, resulted from the publication by the Odetsky Listok, of what it alleges are the inside details of the attack—the culmination of an oath of vengeance registered at the birth of the heir to the Russian throne.

The czarvitch was wounded, according to this story, by a Nihilist named Wassiliew, who was bayoneted in the left groin during a fight with troops.

Wassiliew swore to be revenged on the czarvitch, the Odetsky Listok says, and after several years' waiting secured a position through forged recommendations as gardener on the palace grounds at Spala, caught the czarvitch during an unguarded moment in the garden and stabbed him exactly as he himself was stabbed eight years previously.

Wassiliew was captured, according to the newspaper's account. The story is, of course, wholly unverified.

His highness, the czarvitch, is suffering from peritonitis, according to latest official statement.

Crown Prince Alexis, the czarvitch is 8 years old, having been born August 12, 1904. He is the czar's only son and the youngest of five children.

CLOTHES BELIEVED AXMAN'S

Articles Found in Iowa Thought to Be Murderer's—Coroner Starts an Investigation.

Villisca, Iowa.—Two boys, while squirrel hunting, discovered what the police believe to be the discarded clothing worn by the murderer of J. B. Moore, his wife and four children and Lena and Ida Stilling, who were killed by an axman while they slept on the night of June 2.

There was a checked jacket, a pair of blue overalls and a pair of tan shoes. The knees had been cut out of the overalls.

Coroner Lundquist is having a number of spots on the overalls and coat examined to determine whether they are blood stains.

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ENDEAVORERS ELECT OFFICERS.

Kansas City Man Chosen Head of Missouri Association.

Springfield.—The silver anniversary convention of the Missouri Christian Endeavorers, in session at West Plains three days, closed with the election of officers and an excursion to the hydro-electric plant at Mammoth Springs, Ark. The following officers were elected: President, Franklin Lowe, Jr., Kansas City; vice-president, H. B. Richardson, Hamilton; secretary, Miss Abbey Downing, Kansas City; statistical secretary, Miss Ethel Haskell, West Plains; treasurer, J. Roy Hopkins, Kansas City; intermediate superintendent, Miss Grace Collins, Mexico; junior superintendent, Miss Dora Clemens, St. Louis.

Department superintendents were selected as follows: Christian citizenship, W. T. Lawhead, St. Joseph; social and introduction, Miss Constance Lathaw, Kansas City; press, Homer T. Newton, Columbia; tenth legion, G. H. Lee, West Plains; quiet hour, Rev. W. F. Bradley, Lock Springs, and evangelist, Rev. W. M. Cleveland, Joplin.

The pastors' advisory board was filled as follows: Baptist, Rev. E. B. Mills, Benton; Christian, Rev. W. A. Shullenberg, Mexico; Congregational, Rev. W. M. Jones, St. Joseph; Presbyterian, Rev. C. H. Boving, Fulton; Lutheran, Rev. D. Rhodes, St. Louis; United Brethren, Bishop William Weakley, Kansas City.

MOTHER 15 YEARS NOT HIS.

Moberly Youth Learns That He Was Adopted by Childless Woman.

Moberly.—Living under the name of Fern Gillham for fifteen years only to learn that his real name is Frank Garanger, is the experience of a 17-year-old Moberly boy.

Fifteen years ago a childless woman in Golden, Colo., adopted a 2-year-old baby boy. That woman was Mrs. C. C. Gillham. Shortly after the adoption of the baby, the woman's husband died, and a few years afterwards she became the wife of C. H. Bouque.

After their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Bouque came to Moberly, where the husband died last winter. The boy, Fern, ran away from home three years ago, going to Oklahoma, where he worked as "devil" in a printing office for eleven months.

His hand got caught in a press, several of his fingers being so badly mashed that amputation was necessary and while waiting for his injuries to heal he returned to Moberly.

Young Garanger contemplates a trip to Colorado in the near future, when he will endeavor to learn whether his father or any of his relatives are living in that state.

NEW FIRE INSURANCE RATES.

Entire State Has Been Rerated, With Exception of St. Louis.

Jefferson City.—The new fire insurance rates, prepared in compliance with the rating law enacted by the forty-sixth general assembly, will be filed with Frank Blake, state superintendent of insurance, the latter part of November, according to James A. Waterworth, of St. Louis, rating expert, who was here on business with the insurance department.

Mr. Waterworth says the entire state has been rerated, except the city of St. Louis, and that the committee handling the work is now engaged there.

The new rates must be approved by Superintendent Blake before they become effective. That they will be somewhat lower when taken as a whole than the rates now in force, is the opinion of Waterworth. They will be higher, he believes, upon some classes of risks than the old ones.

STATE U. D. C. ELECTS.

Kansas City Woman Re-elected President at Marshall.

Marshall.—The State United Daughters of the Confederacy, in session here, elected the following officers: Mrs. Roma J. Wornall, Kansas City, re-elected president; Mrs. Frank Galentine, St. Louis, first vice-president; Mrs. G. W. Hyde, Lexington, second vice-president; Mrs. Robert N. Reynolds, recording secretary; Mrs. George Gross, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frank Farris, re-elected treasurer; Mrs. Elliott Spalding, historian; Mrs. Charles Lamkin, Keytesville, registrar; Miss Lucy Merriweather, Kansas City, director of children's work.

Mrs. J. L. Henton, of St. Louis, received a diamond pin for the prize essay. Mrs. J. L. Besch, of Sedalia, read the essay in absence of Mrs. Henton, who is sick in St. Louis.

Mrs. Henrietta Rives Buchanan, of Richmond, received second prize, a ruby pin. Mrs. Frank Bartlett, of St. Louis, presented prizes.

Given \$10,000 for False Arrest.

Moberly.—H. H. Furman of Huntsville, who was arrested in East St. Louis a few months ago, was awarded \$10,000 damages here against the American Surety company for false imprisonment.

Missouri Merchant Dies in Store.

Houston.—E. H. Charles, bank president and a prominent merchant of Summerville, Texas county, was found dead in the basement of his store. It is supposed that he was stricken by heart failure.